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Now... here's reliable home-proved medication that works **ways** to ease to relieve distress of child's cold—even while he sleeps! Just rub throat, chest and back with Vicks VapoRub at bedtime, instantly VapoRub starts to relieve coughing spasms, ease muscular aches or tightness, and invite restful, comforting sleep. Often by morning, most of the misery is gone. For baby's sake, try VapoRub tonight. It must be good, because when cold strikes, most mothers use Vicks VapoRub.

## Handy In Arctic

### Refrigerators Keep Food At Right Temperature Year Round

Esquimaux have chuckled at many of the contraptions brought to eastern Arctic trading posts by white men—but they let out hearty guffaws when wives of the white men began to import refrigerators for their frame wooden houses.

Now their laughter has subsided. Maj. D. L. McKend, superintendent of the eastern Arctic, said. Even in the Arctic where the temperature seldom stays high long enough for anything to turn sour, refrigerators are handy.

The white trader found his enemy wasn't heat but cold, which froze valuable foodstuffs when they were placed outdoors to prevent fermentation.

Partly-used cans of milk, vegetables or fruit soon froze solid and had lost their flavor when thawed out. It led to some cases of food poisoning and to waste. With the refrigerators, food is kept at the right temperature the year around.

## Look Cheerful!



Look cheerful as the fire crackling on your hearth in this becoming deep-yoked frock, Pattern 4589. It takes no time to put together, as a glance at the diagram should prove. Make it with contrasting trimming or in one fabric.

Pattern 4589 comes in misses' and women's sizes 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40 and 42. Size 16 takes 2½ yards 35 inch fabric and ¾ yard contrast.

Sent twenty cents (20 in coins (stamps cannot be accepted) for this pattern. Write plainly Size, Name, Address and Style Number and send orders to the Anne Adams Pattern Dept., Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermott Ave. E., Winnipeg, Man. Because of the slowness of the mails delivery of our patterns may take a few days longer than usual.

## OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY—

## "Four Flats"

By YVONNE WERNETTE  
McClure Newspaper Syndicate

"Pretty swell car, huh, honey?" "It's grand, Fred," Laurel leaned close to make herself heard above the clatter of the engine and the rattle of loose fenders. "It's swell driving slowly through the country like this."

"We couldn't hurry if we wanted to. Hot, honey?"

"Sort of, but we're getting a nice tan."

"Sunburn would be a better word. I should have bought a roadster with a top."

"Oh, I like it this way. It looks so sporty."

"You're a swell wife," Fred's right arm drew her closer to him. "When I get a job we'll buy a top for the car. Hungry?"

"No, are you?"

"Nope." Fred knew she was lying. She was hungry and so was he. Finding a job wasn't as easy as he had thought it would be, and their money was dwindling at an alarming rate.

"Fred, there's a car stalled up ahead."

"I'll see if we can help." As they pulled up they were surprised to see an elderly and obviously very angry gentleman smashing the windows with a heavy monkey wrench. The car had four flats.

"Can I help you, mister?" Fred offered hopefully.

"Help?" belittled the man. "You can have it!" And he strode angrily up the road muttering, "Tacks! My own tacks!"

Fred and Laurel watched him in amazement. "Whew, what a temper that guy has! Wonder what he meant by his 'tacks'?"

"Tacks—flat tires. They're a natural combination."

Back of the car heavy roofing tacks were scattered over the road; in the ditch they found the smashed keg almost hidden in the grass. "Somebody must have lost this from a truck," Fred rolled it over. "Here's a name—John L. Banghart, Carterville."

"Then that's Mr. Banghart's car." "No, this is just the name of the dealer where the tacks were bought."

"But the name fits him," Laurel insisted. "Let's look in the car. His name ought to be on his license."

The license carried the name: John L. Banghart, Carterville.

"He'll feel awful when he cools off and remembers he smashed all these windows. What a mess!"

"Yeah! It's a new car, too. Look, he left the keys. Do you suppose he meant it when he said we could have it?"

"Of course not, silly."

"I have an idea. I'll patch those tires. We'll take the car to Carterville and he'll pay us for our work. Then we'll celebrate with a real dinner this evening!"

Fred sat to work eagerly, but it was late afternoon when he finished. He mopped the perspiration from his face and sank limply on to the running board.

"Well, honey, we're all set. I'll drive the terrible tempered Mr. Banghart's car into town. You can follow me in ours. Will he be surprised?"

But they found Mr. Banghart in the same violent state in which they had first seen him. "What do you mean by driving my car without my permission? Get out! Get out before I have you arrested," he said.

Fred was too taken aback to answer. But before he climbed into his own car he summoned courage to ask a question. "Mr. Banghart, I'm looking for a job. Do you know where I can find one around Carterville?"

"No! No jobs around here." The door was slammed with shattering force.

"Whew!" Laurel gasped. "What an awful man!"

"Yeah!" Fred agreed mournfully. They drove slowly down the main highway. "We'll stop in the next town and have a hamburger," said Fred without enthusiasm. He had lost his appetite.

They had gone perhaps ten miles



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when the wall of a siren came from the rear. A state policeman, Fred stopped the car. "Now what have we done?" he muttered.

"But, officer, I wasn't speeding."

"You're under arrest for stealing a valuable package out of John L. Banghart's car."

Fred tried to protest.

"Come on, now. Turn around and head for Carterville. I'll be right behind you."

Back in Carterville the policeman ordered them to go to Banghart's house. In the dusty parlor Fred protested breathlessly. "Honest, Mr. Banghart, we didn't take your package."

"Of course not!" Banghart snapped. "There was no package. I wanted you back. You said you were looking for a job, didn't you?"

"Yes."

Mr. Banghart turned to Laurel. "Can you cook?"

"Why—uh, yes," Laurel stammered.

"You bet she can cook!" Fred stated emphatically.

"You're both hired," Mr. Banghart announced.

Fred and Laurel stared at him with open mouths. Mr. Banghart's sour countenance softened.

"I own a hardware business and I need a sensible young man to help me. I fired the last one because he lost a keg of roofing tacks off the truck today where I picked them up in my tires. I've lived alone in this house since my wife died. Haven't been able to find a cook who can make an omelet the way I like it. Bring in your things! You're both staying here from now on—if you can put up with a bad tempered old man."

"You let me can! Er—I mean—thanks a lot, Mr. Banghart!"

Mr. Banghart actually smiled.

## To Ensure Peace

### Belgium Might Become a Member Of The British Commonwealth

A hint that Belgium might become a member of the British Commonwealth under certain conditions has been dropped by a spokesman for the Belgian Ministry of information, the Daily Sketch said.

The sketch said one of its correspondents had asked the spokesman about a speech made in Belfast by Antoine Delfosse, Belgian justice and information minister, which favored Britain as an insurer of peace in Europe, and the spokesman replied:

"M. Delfosse might have been referring to the possibility of Belgium entering the commonwealth."

Delfosse had said "we Belgians are ready to sacrifice part of our sovereignty on the altar of world peace. We ask but one thing—to be free."

## To Retain Moisture

### Plan Is Suggested For Plowing Snow Into Windows

W. R. Leslie, superintendent of the Dominion experimental farm at Moncton, N.B., has suggested that snow waters be impounded for the purpose of making full use of the moisture available to Manitoba.

Speaking at a luncheon meeting of the Winnipeg Canadian club, Mr. Leslie said that lack of moisture was one of the main factors limiting farm production in the province, and that by ploughing the snow into windows a great deal of moisture could be trapped.



## JUNIOR NURSING AIDES

A Junior Nursing Aides Corps to provide for adolescent Canadian girls an opportunity for patriotic service which is now denied many of them, would fill the bill so far as 17-year-old Thelma Parker of London, Ont., is concerned.

The Women's Division of the Health League of Canada is studying the possibilities of establishing such a corps under official auspices or through some voluntary organizations. Thelma Parker read about it in the newspapers, and here is what she wrote Mrs. J. H. Harris, president of the women's division, who proposed the project:

"I am a girl seventeen years of age, strong and healthy and ready to do my bit to help win the war, but, like you say, we haven't been given the chance and we will show you that the Junior Miss is not only strong, but patriotic, and willing to do her bit."

"Nursing is near to every girl's heart or at least fifty per cent. I myself have always wanted to be a nurse, but due to circumstances beyond my control I will never have that chance."

"We need your help more than even you realize: the strain of every day things and the feeling that you could be doing more is very depressing."

"Again I say, give us the chance and we will do a job that will make those fighting on the front know that we are behind them."

"I could go on for pages but I know your time is valuable."

"God bless you and may you find grace and courage to carry on this great undertaking."

Gratefully yours,  
Thelma Parker."

## Valuable Now

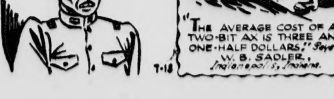
### Any Kind Of Conveyance In England Brings High Price

No one wanted the thing before the war, but when a 30-year-old landau—once the property of a peer came up for auction in Manchester, England, an offer of \$180 was refused. An old-fashioned brougham, destined for cab work, realized \$81. A high wheeled, open-fronted, three-seater Ralli car which might have had a pre-war value of \$14, went under the hammer at \$99.

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## THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



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### For Greater Production

In order to meet the food needs of our Armed Forces, the feeding of a liberated Europe and the home front, maximum production will be required in 1944. Leave a sample of your seed wheat with our Agent for free germination test.



### Tank Allocate Picture Show Profits

The picture show which was recently sponsored by the Didsbury Detachment of the Army Tanks, was very successful financially and netted \$100.00, which was allocated as follows:

Red Cross Local Fund	\$25.00
Tanks Prisoner-of-War	25.00
Didsbury Tobacco Fund	25.00
Regimental Fund	25.00

### Evangelical Church Notes

"Let us have peace with God," will be the theme on Sunday morning at 10:30.

At the 7:30 p.m. service, the subject will be "The story of a Disciple's faith". The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed at the evening service and at Bethel in the afternoon.

The Jutland Sunday School will meet at the home of Mr. T. E. McCaig, at 11:30 a.m.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our neighbors and friends for their kindness and sympathy during our recent bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Auschus and family.

### Bergen Notes.

A new picket fence in front of the Bergen Church adds to its appearance.

Mrs. J. Holmes (nee Ferrell Gamble), who is one of the welders in the aeroplane restoration Foundry, visited her parents for a few hours recently.

A Mr. Burnt has bought the Johnny Goodland place and will move his family there soon.

AC William Gamble, R.C.A.F., who has been sick in the Moose Jaw Hospital, is now on leave and will visit for a few days before returning for duty.

Miss Steen, R.C.N., and brother, Chas., who is also a soldier, are home for a few days before returning to their war duties.

The Bergen people were very sorry to hear of the passing away of Mrs. John Haug. She was loved by all who knew her. Always good, kind and thoughtful, doing some small kindness for a friend. A pair of mittens for some baby—a pair of stockings for someone else—a bag of cookies here and there, and on and on. She will be sadly missed. Our sympathy goes to Mr. Haug and children.

### LOCAL & GENERAL

Dances at Rugby have been arranged for February 15th and March 17.

Service at St. Cyprrian's this Sunday, January 23rd, at 11:00 a.m. Holy Communion.

Mrs. Blatchford, of Edmonton, is visiting with the Ranton family this week.

A dance will be held at the Melvin Hall on Friday, February 11. Music will be supplied by the Calgary Mandarines.

Save Money — Buy "Miracle" Feeds at your local Ogilvie agent, Builders' Hardware. Our prices are better.

"White Savage" in technicolor, starring Marie Montez, Jon Hall, and Sabu, is the feature picture at Didsbury Theatre this week.

Sandy Caithness left Thursday night enroute to Edmonton, and from there he plans on making a trip into the N.W.T.

Dr. Clarke, who is president of the Alberta Medical Association, attended a meeting of the College of Physicians and Surgeons at Edmonton this week.

LAW Dorothy Barrett left on Wednesday to return to her station at Hagersville, Ont., after spending three weeks at her home here.

Bill Jenkins, of Turner Valley, spent the weekend visiting with his brother, P/O Lloyd Jenkins, and the other members of the family at their home east of town.

The Westcott W.I. will hold a whist drive in the Jackson school this Friday evening, January 21st. There will be a charge of 25c each. Lunch will be served. Everyone welcome.

The Rosebud Red Cross Circle held two whist drives this month, one at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thurlow and one at the home of Mr. S. and Miss O'Brien, netting fourteen dollars which was turned in to the local Red Cross.

Mrs. Noah Eckel, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eckel and Mrs. Bert Pross were in Calgary Wednesday, attending the funeral of the former's brother-in-law, the late John Eckel, who passed away suddenly on Monday morning at his home in Calgary, with a heart attack.

Now is the time to start feeding Miracle Hatching Mash for greater profits. Fresh stock always available at the Builders' Hardware.

### Milk for Britain

The I.O.D.E., at the request of the Kinsmen's Club, have taken charge of their "Milk for Britain" Fund, for this community.

Milk bottles have been placed in the post office and a number of stores, and the public is asked to contribute generously of their change.

There is no need to emphasize the great work the Kinsmen's Club is doing in supplying milk to the children of Britain.

Mr. T. Morris has been kind enough to supply the bottles for this campaign.

### I.O.D.E. Notes

The January meeting of the Mons Chapter I.O.D.E., was held at the home of Mrs. Bert Fisher on the 10th. There was a large attendance.

Nominations were taken for officers for the coming year. Mrs. Parsons reported a creditable amount of knitted service supplies had been turned in.

Mrs. McCoy Sec., reported that as Mrs. Cummins has moved to Calgary, Mrs. Burkholder and a group of Mennonite ladies had very kindly offered to take over this work free of charge. This constitutes the sewing of hospital supplies for the nursery here, which supplies are donated by the I.O.D.E. Mons Chapter wishes to thank Mrs. Burkholder and her friends for this kind offer.

## Valentines

5c to 25c

Sweethearts to — Mother-in-Laws

## Law's Drug Store

Phone 40

### CURLING NOTES.

Jack McCloy's rink brought home the bacon from the Olds bonspiel last week. They went through thespiel unbeaten and won the two major events and the Grand Aggregate. The rink was Jack McCloy skip, Jim Caithness, Jack Topley and Ed Watkins.

The Irwin Klein rink won the third prize in one of the secondary events.

### Surprise Party

A surprise party was held at the home of Mrs. Mary Rodney Wednesday evening, when about 10 friends and neighbours gathered there to honor her on her birthday.

An enjoyable evening was spent playing games, after which a delicious supper was served. Many lovely gifts and good wishes were received by the guest of honor, as the party broke up in the wee hours of the morning.

### Town of DIDSBURY

#### Notice of Annual Meeting

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the electors of the Town of Didsbury will be held in the High School Building, Didsbury, on Friday, the 28th day of January, 1944, at 8 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving the reports of Mayor, Secretary-Treasurer, Auditor and Chairmen of the various committees of the Council for the year ending December 31, 1943.

Dated at Didsbury, Alberta, this 18th day of January, 1944.

W. A. AUSTIN,  
Secretary-Treasurer.

### Didsbury School District No. 652

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Dated at Didsbury, Alberta, this 18th day of January, 1944.

A. C. FISHER,  
Secretary-Treasurer

### Notice.

Notice is hereby given that no waste water or refuse must be disposed of by placing in lanes, streets or ditches.

Garbage must be wrapped and placed in separate container or burned.

Anyone continuing this practice after February 1st, will be dealt with according to the provisions of the Public Health Act.

Rosebud Health District.  
J. E. MOONEY  
(32) Sanitary Inspector.

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D. N. McDonald,  
Treasury Branch.

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Week-end  
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Snappy Styles, Popular  
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in Rose, Blue & Green  
Large size **\$11.95**

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#### Bed Spreads

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Meet Me At  
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### CLASSIFIED ADS

For Sale — Newly born Holstein Calves of good breeding. Both bull and heifer calves. Apply N. Swalm, phone 210 (504p)

Lost — On Saturday afternoon, a Yale Key. Finder please leave at 22p Pioneer Office.

**WILL THE PARTY** That borrowed a metal wheelbarrow from the North End Lumber Yard about the end of October, kindly return same or let the Cassidy Lumber Yard know where same is. That's You J. A. Thompson

For Sale — Registered York-shires, male and female, 6 months old, bred from Lacombe stock. Apply (34p) B. T. Parker

For Sale — Five-roomed House with bath and water system. Full basement, hardwood floors, good garage. Apply Mrs. W. Klein, phone 123 (31p)

**JET FOR POLISHING** Hot stoves is a Boon. Winter months mean hot stoves always. "JET" is safe, handy. Sold everywhere.

Wanted — Ten-foot Tractor Disc, in good repair. Enquire at (32p) Pioneer Office.

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**LOST**  
Two Hereford Heifers branded 56 with half diamond above on right rib, also with ear tags. Finder please notify. Roy McNaughton, 34p Phone 410